STATE OF VERMONT PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

ORDER OF NOTICE RE: PUBLIC HEARING Docket No. 8003

PETITION OF CLAIRE SOLAR PARTNERS RE PROPOSED SOLAR FACILITY IN SOUTH BURLINGTON, VERMONT

WHEREAS, on February 4, 2013, Claire Solar Partners, LLC ("Petitioner") filed a petition for a certificate of public good, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. § 248, authorizing the installation and operation of a 2.2 MW solar electric generating facility to be located at 1545 Hinesburg Road in South Burlington, Vermont. The proposed project will occupy approximately 21.3 acres of a 32.7-acre parcel of land, and is comprised of approximately 8,700-8,800 individual solar panels mounted on approximately 350-375 dual axis trackers. The trackers will be arranged in east to west rows, and the height of the trackers, when tilted vertically, will be about 20 feet off of the base. (Additional information regarding the petition is available on the Public Service Board's website at www.psb.vermont.gov)

Now, Therefore, It Is Hereby Ordered, in accordance with 30 V.S.A. Sections 8, 10 and 248, that a **Public Hearing** be had upon said petition before a Hearing Officer of the Public Service Board, Jake Marren, Staff Attorney, on **Wednesday**, **April 24**, **2013**, commencing at **7:00 P.M.**, in Cafeteria No. 1 at the South Burlington High School, located at 550 Dorset Street in South Burlington, Vermont.

The above hearing location is handicapped accessible. Any person with a disability who wishes to attend and will need special accommodation should contact the Public Service Board (802-828-2358) by no later than April 22, 2013, if they will need that accommodation.

It Is Further Ordered that notice of said hearing be given by one publication of this Order on Thursday, April 11, 2013, in "The Burlington Free Press", a daily newspaper published in Burlington, Vermont; and on Wednesday, April 17, 2013, in "Seven Days", a weekly newspaper published in Burlington, Vermont.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that petitioner shall file with the Public Service Board copies of the newspapers in which this Order appears. Said newspaper filings shall be made not later than April 23, 2013.

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DATED at Montpelier, Vermont, this 8th day of April, 2013.

VERMONT PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

By: s/Susan M. Hudson
Susan M. Hudson
Clerk of the Board

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

Filed: April 8, 2013

Attest: s/Susan M. Hudson

Clerk of the Board